MODIFIED PTO/SB/08 (08-00)
Approved for use through 10/31/2002. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office: U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

OIPE NOV 29 2006 PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Substitute for form 1449B/PTO

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

Date Submitted: November 29, 2006

(use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 1 of 1

Complete if Known	
Application Number	10/681,284
Filing Date	October 9, 2003
First Named Inventor	Ivan BAN
Group Art Unit	1651
Examiner Name	T. Underdahl
Attorney Docket Number	029300.52141US

OIPE NOV 29 2006 PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No.[1]	Foreign Patent Document Office[3]	Number[4]	Kind Code[5] (if known)	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Documents	Date of Publication of Cited Document MM-DD-YYYY	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T[6]
TU	A1	EP	1 166 643	A1	PROTEIN TECHNOLOGIES INTERNATIONAL, INC.	01-02-2002		
TU	A2	EP	1 054 008	B1	NICHIMO KABUSHIKI KAISHA	11-10-2004		
TU	A3	WO	98/49153	A1	NOVOGEN INC.	11-05-1998		
TU	A4	WO	00/32204	A1	COGNIS CORPORATION	06-08-2000		
TU	A5	WO	01/53285	A1	NOVOGEN RESEARCH PTY LIMITED	07-26-2001		

Examiner Signature	/Thane Underdahl/	Date Considered	01/24/2007

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

[1] Unique citation designation number. [2]See attached Kinds of U.S. Patent Documents. [3]Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). [4]For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. [5]Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST. 16 if possible. [6]Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

Burden Hour Statement: This form is estimated to take 2.0 hours to complete. Time will vary depending upon the needs of the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you are required to complete this form should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450.